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				Attorney Docket No.		300.1124				
REPLY/AMENDMENT			Application Number			10/661,524				
REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL				Filing Date		September 15, 2003				
				First Named Inventor			Michio HORIUCHI, et al.			
				Group Art Unit		1745	1745			
AMOUNT ENCLOSED 0.00			Examiner Name			WALKER, KEITH D				
FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)										
CLAIMS AS AMENDED			Highest Nu Previously F			Rate		Calculations		
TOTAL CLAIMS	15		-	20 =	= 0		X \$ 50			0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2		- 3=		0		X \$ 20	0.00 =		
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>October 5, 2006</u> , petition is hereby made for an										
extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160):										
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$500.00)										
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00)										
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)										
Total of above Calculations =									\$	0.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)										
TOTAL FEES DUE =									\$	0.00
(1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".										
(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".										
(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0". (5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".										
METHOD OF PAYMENT										
Check enclosed as payment.										
Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.										
No payment is enclosed.										
GENERAL AUTHORIZATION										
☑ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit										
any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:										
Deposit Account No. 19-3935										
Deposit Account Name STAAS & HALSEY LLP										
The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional										required under
37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, includir any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g.,										
continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs un										der 37 CFR
1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.										
SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY,LLP										
Typed Name J. Randall Beckers							Reg. No.	30,3	30,358	
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In re the Application of:

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For: FUEL BATTERY

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 5, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on October 5, 2006.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.